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## *A Prayer for the Morning.*

**A**Lmighty God, who of thine infinite goodness hast brought me into this world, and hast preserved me ever since I was born from those dangers into which I should daily have fallen, had thou not upheld me with thy strong Hand. I desire from the bottom of my heart to return thee innumerable thanks for all thy great favours bestowed upon me, and more particularly, for that thou hast added to all those benefits hitherto poured upon my Soul and Body, this further blessing in preserving me this night past from all evils Spiritual and Corporal. I beseech thee, as thou hast let me see the light of the day, so lift up the light of thy countenance upon me, and be merciful unto me in the pardon and forgiveness of all my Sins, which I have this night or at any time heretofore committed against thee, giving me grace to repent and amend my sinful life, that I may this following day and for ever after live, not as I will but as thou wilt. Let me daily more and more lament my former sinful life, trusting faithfully in thy rich mercies, through the merits of Jesus Christ for the pardon of all my sins; and let all my thoughts, words and deeds henceforward be such as may tend to the praise of thy holy Name, and good example

thers: Grant this, O Lord, for his sake who hath purchased my Redemption with no less price than his dearest Blood, even for the sake of Jesus Christ; whose whole Name and Words I further call upon thee, saying as he himself hath taught me, *O holy Father, &c.*

*A Prayer for the Evening.*

Blessed be thy Name, O Lord God, for all thy favours, benefits, and blessings which thou hast purchased out of thy rich mercy and free goodness to bestow upon me, and more especially the blessings of this day past. Thou, O Lord, hast clothed and fed me with thy good Creatures, and afforded me abundance of comfort by thy liberal contribution of all things necessary both for my soul and body. What shall I render unto thee for all thy mercies? Lord, I have nothing but what is thine, thou hast freely given me whatsoever I enjoy, I desire therefore to give up my self wholly unto thee, desiring thee to accept of me, in Jesus Christ, for thy Child, restoring unto me that Image of God which I lost in the fall of my first Parents, and make me like unto the Lord Jesus Christ, enabling so me to walk, even as he walked; fill my heart with an utter loathing and detesting of all sin, and with a fervent longing after thy grace, that I may hunger and thirst after righteousness, and never be satisfied till thou hast filled my mouth with thy good things. And, O Lord, I beseech thee keep me this night following, let me lie down in peace, and rest in peace; guard me with thy holy Angels, and



and let not the Devil, that roaring Lyon who go about day and night seeking whom he may devour have any advantage over me, but when I shall through thy goodness be refreshed with sleep, grant that in the morning I may again praise thee, and endeavour to walk in thy waies, and keep thy Commandments all the daies of my life. These things O Lord, and what else thou knowest best for me, beg at thy hands for Jesus Christ his sake, in whose Name and Words I further call, &c.

*Another Prayer for the Morning.*

**I** Desire to return unto thee, O most gracious Lord God, all possible praise and thanksgiving, for that thou hast continued thine accustomed goodness unto me, in keeping me this night past from all those hurts and dangers both of Soul and Body, unto which by reason of my heinous sins and provocation I am liable every moment; Blessed be thy Name for the quiet rest and sweet sleep which thou hast afforded me: Grant, O Lord, that I begin this new day to lead a new life; as thou hast clothed my Body with Garments, so put upon me the robes of Christs Righteousness, that my Soul may not appear naked in thy sight, but having on the Wedding Garment, I may sit down at the great Marriage Supper of the Lamb whensoever thou shalt be pleased to call me; and forasmuch as thou knowest, O Lord, what deadly enemies I have to encounter whilst I continue in this life; I therefore beseech thee to Arm me with the whole Armour of God

that in the strength of Jesus Christ, and through the assistance of thy holy Spirit, I may vanquish and overcome them all: so shall thy Name be Glorified, the Lord Jesus Christ exalted, and my poor soul saved in the day of Jesus Christ; for whose sake my soul desires eternally to bless thee, and in whose most holy Name and blessed Words, I desire to conclude these my weak and imperfect prayers, saying as he hath taught me, *O holy Father, &c.*

*Another Prayer for the Evening.*

**O** Most gracious God and loving Father in Jesus Christ, I poor miserable Creature desire to humble my Soul before thee this Evening, to implore thy Divine Majesty, to be merciful unto me, for I have most grievously offended thee by my manifold sins and transgressions; so that if thou shouldst enter into judgement with me, I cannot be able to stand up before thee, for mine iniquities are gone over my head, and my sins reach up to Heaven, where they daily cry unto thee for vengeance against me. But thou, O God, art full of Pity and Compassion, slow to Anger, and of much Mercy, who desirest not the death of a sinner, but wouldst have all to come to the knowledge of the Truth and be saved; unto thee, O Lord, I come, beseeching thee for thy Names sake, for thy Mercies sake, for thy Son Jesus Christ his sake, to remove my sins as far out of thy sight, as the East is from the West; let them never any more come into thy remembrance, but assure me by thy Spirit, that thou hast freely Pardoned the same, and

and in token thereof give me, I beseech thee, a new heart, that I may henceforth truly love, honour, and obey thee, in the whole course of my life : and let my mouth be filled with thy praises ; for great is thy loving kindness to the children of men. Thou, O Lord, hast poured forth thy blessings upon me, and I have tasted of thy goodness in an abundant measure ; For ever blessed be thy Name for all thy favours and benefits : and in particular for such comforts as thou hast this day vouchsafed unto me, in giving health, strength, food, rayment, and all things richly to enjoy. Oh ! let me never be unmindful to return thee thanks for the same, and I beseech thee, O Lord, continue thy goodness still unto me, and as thou hast preserved me this day, so keep me this night following from all those evils, which by my sins I have justly deserved to undergo, and grant that whether I sleep or wake, live or die, I may be found of thee, not in my own Righteousness of Jesus Christ ; for whom my soul desires eternally to bless thee, to whom with thee and thy blessed Spirit, be rendred as is most due, all Honour, Praise, Thanksgiving, and Adoration now and for evermore. *Amen.*

*A Prayer to be said at all times.*

**O** Lord and heavenly Father, whose power is infinite, whose wisdom is unsearchable, and of whose goodness and mercy there is no end. Look down I beseech thee from heaven, the place of thy holy Habitation, and with an eye full of pity and

compassion, behold me thy poor Creature, who do  
 most humbly prostrate my self before thee, acknow-  
 ledging and confessing my manifold sins and trans-  
 gressions, whereby I have grievously offended thy  
 justice, and am worthy of eternal condemnation ;  
 if thou beest not exceeding gracious unto me in the  
 free pardon and forgiveness of all my sins. Therefore,  
 O Lord, hearken to the voice of my supplication.  
 Let not my sins cry louder in thine ears for venge-  
 ance against me, than the Blood of Jesus Christ for  
 mercy and forgiveness. O remember not, Lord,  
 what I have done but what the Lord Christ hath  
 Suffered ; though I by my sins have deserved death,  
 yet he by his death hath purchased life for all that  
 unfeignedly believe in him. Give me, O gracious  
 God, a lively faith in his Blood ; enable me to lay  
 hold upon eternal life, which thou hast promised by  
 him to the worst of sinners ; in the number where-  
 of I stand : and I beseech thee, manifest thy unspeak-  
 able goodness, not only in the pardoning my sins,  
 but in cleansing me from all my filthiness and wick-  
 edness. O let not sin any longer have dominion over  
 me ; suffer me not to yield my members as servants  
 of unrighteousness unto uncleanness : but do thou  
 so change my heart and renew my will, that I may  
 ever hereafter pursue the things that are good, en-  
 deavouring by my future diligence, to redeem the  
 Time which I have wasted in vanity and unprofita-  
 bleness. Let thy holy Spirit work mightily in me,  
 beating down all my strong lusts and corruptions,  
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and whatsoever would withdraw my heart from thee. Let thy Word be a light unto my feet, and a lantern to my paths, and guide me in that way wherein thou wouldest have me walk, that so I may with chearfulness run the race that thou hast set before me; and having fought a good fight, finished my Course, and kept the Faith, I may receive a Crown of Glory, which thou hast laid up for them that love the appearing of the Lord Jesus Christ: for whose sake I beg all these things at thy hands, and in whose Name and Words I further call upon thee, saying as he himself hath taught me, *O holy Father, &c.*

*A Prayer to be said at all times.*

**O** Most holy Lord God, I desire to return thee all possible praise and thanksgiving, for those unspeakable benefits which thou vouchsafest to bestow upon me from day to day. Lord, what am I that thou shouldst be mindful of me, that thou shouldst so much as look upon me, unless it were in Anger, for I have done nothing but sinned against thee all my life long; what thou hast commanded me to do, that have I left undone; and what thou hast forbidden me to do, that have I done. My mind hath been in a continual Rebellion against thee, and though I have abundantly tasted of thy goodness, yet have I rewarded thee evil for good; those members which thou hast given me to honour and serve thee withal, I have made instruments of wickedness and uncleanness, thereby to provoke thee to wrath and indignation.



nation against me ; yet since thou art pleased out of thy great pity and compassion, to spare me, and give me time of Repentance ; I humbly beseech thee to work in my soul a godly sorrow for all those heinous sins which I have committed against thee : And do thou, O Lord, for thine infinite mercies sake, pardon all mine offences past, and enable me for the time to come, to lead a new life ; send down thy Spirit into my heart, even the Spirit of Adoption, whereby I may be enabled to cry, *Abba Father* ; and let the same Spirit work in me a sincere love unto thee, a perfect hatred of sin, and an universal Obedience to all thy holy Commandments, keeping me from all evil waies, and teaching me to choose the way of truth, purifying my heart from all filthiness of sin and evil concupiscence, so that I may become a new creature, and be made in every respect conformable to the Image of Jesus Christ ; for whose sake I beg these things, and what ever else thou in thy wisdom knowest to be most expedient for me : To him, with thy self, and blessed Spirit, enable me, O Lord, to render as is most due all Honour, Praise, Thanksgiving, and Adoration, now and for evermore. *Amen*

*A Confession of Sins, and Prayer for pardon.*

**O** Gracious God, when I consider the infinite holiness and purity which is in thee ; I am ever ashamed and almost afraid to lift up mine eyes unto Heaven, the place of thy glorious habitation, for my sins are ascended up into thy sight. Against thee O Lord, against thee have I sinned, and done evil before



fore thee. My Iniquity is great, I have been an  
 under against thee, even from my Mothers Womb;  
 that I have great cause to admire thy wonderful  
 science, and long suffering towards me; that thou  
 not long ere this cast me into Hell: surely 'tis  
 cause thy compassions fail not. O for ever blessed  
 thy Name, that thou still sparest me, and givest  
 time of Repentance. Lord, I beseech thee work  
 my heart a true sight, and sence of my sins, that  
 ing the ugliness thereof, and considering how  
 ghly I have displeased thee by them, I may ever  
 reaster hate and detest them. Let my heart be  
 d with sorrow, that I have offended so good and  
 atious a God, and work in me a settled resolution,  
 forsake every evil way, to shun all occasions of sin,  
 d earnestly to endeavour to walk before thee in  
 w obedience all the daies of my life. Thou, O Lord,  
 at hast promised to give thy holy Spirit to them  
 at ask thee; I humbly beseech thee send down  
 y holy Spirit into my heart, to enlighten my mind  
 the knowledge of Jesus Christ, and guide me into  
 e paths of thy Commandments, that so I may ob-  
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 of Jesus Christ; To whom with thee, O holy Fa-  
 er, and thy blessed Spirit, enable me to ascribe as  
 most due all Honour, Praise, Thanksgiving, and  
 oration, now and for evermore. Amen.

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A Prayer for pardon of Sins, and grace to Amend Body,

O Gracious God who art the maker and Creator of all creatures, who governeſt and ruleſt them all by thy Power and Wildom, who preſerveſt them by thy Providence and goodneſs, and heareſt the cries of all thoſe people that call upon thee in their Neceſſities; thou haſt been graciously pleaſed to pe-  
manifeſt thy abundant mercy towards poor wounded by-  
leſs creatures, in promiſing that whoſoever come made  
unto thee, thou wilt in no wiſe caſt out: By the conſideration of which thy unſpeakable goodneſs, I thy poor ſervant am encouraged in all Humility to come before thee, not in my own name, or in my own righteousneſs, but in the Name and Righteousneſs of Jeſus Chriſt, beſeeching thee for his ſake to lend a gracious ear to the voice of my ſupplication. Vouchſafe, O Lord, to pardon and forgive all my ſins, as well Original as Actual; ſins againſt thy Law, and ſins againſt thy Goſpel, wherewith my Soul and Body are ſtained and polluted againſt thee. O Lord, I have ſinned and done evil in thy ſight, and if thou ſhouldeſt be extream in marking and puniſhing what I have done amiſs, I ſhould not be able to ſtand before thee; but with thee there is mercy thou maiſt be feared. O maniſeſt thy goodneſs unto my poor Soul, and let me thereby be led unto Repentance; Take away this rocky ſtony heart, and give me ſuch a heart as thou wouldeſt have me to have; enlighten my underſtanding, renew my will, reform my judgement, ſanctifie me throughout both in Soul and Body, and

Body, and let thy blessing be upon all my law-  
 endeavours; let it be my intention and drift to  
 thy will, to walk in thy waies, and to keep thy  
 commandments; let thy blessed Spirit dwell in my  
 soul; let the power of sin be weakned in me, and  
 strengthen and confirm me in thy grace, granting  
 to persevere therein unto the end, that being  
 led by thy counsel to obey thee in this life, I may  
 be made a partaker of thy glory in the world to  
 come: which I beseech thee grant for Jesus Christ  
 sake, for whom I bless thee: In whom I desire  
 ever to be found of thee; to whom with thee  
 thy holy Spirit, be ascribed as is most due, all  
 honour, Praise, thanksgiving, and Adoration, both  
 now and for evermore. *Amen.*

*Another of the same.*

O Lord, who art the Father of Jesus Christ, and  
 in him the Father of all Mercies, and God of  
 Consolation; I thy poor unworthy servant, do up-  
 on the bended knees of my soul, in all humility, pre-  
 sent my petitions before thee, beseeching thee to  
 give me an Assurance of thine especial grace to-  
 wards my soul, in the pardon and forgiveness of all  
 sins, wherewith I have so highly displeased thy  
 Majesty, by breaking all thy holy Laws and Com-  
 mandments in thought word and deed; I confess,  
 O Lord, that shouldst thou deal with me according  
 to my deserts, I could expect nothing but thy se-  
 vere wrath and curse, which is due unto me for my  
 sins: but thou, O Lord, hast no pleasure in the death  
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of the wicked, Mercy best pleaseth thee ; O thou my  
 fore shew unto me the light of thy Coun tenan of th  
 and say, unto my soul, *Thou art my Salvation* may  
 Write thy Laws in my heart, put thy fear into all w  
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 of thy Truth ; and so establish me in thy Grace, th m  
 I may never again depart from thee ; wash me and  
 make me clean from all my filthiness ; Mortifie Har  
 me whatsoever is carnal ; enable me through thant  
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 to hurt me, but do thou continually guide, dire of fi  
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 may be to serve and honour thee, that I may ta Will  
 nothing in hand which shall not be agreeable to the C  
 most blessed Will. O let it please thee to preser thee  
 and defend me from all the Temptations of Satan Wi  
 deliver me from all Perils and Dangers whatsoever who  
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 journeying here in Rest and Quietness, and finally l swee  
 with thee for ever in thy Kingdom : All which most  
 beg of thee for Jesus Christ his sake. *Amen.* ratio

*A Prayer for Sanctifying Grace.*

**A** Lmighty God, who art the *Alpha* and *Omeg* **A**  
 the beginning and the end ; in whom all cre  
 tures live, move and have their Being ; upon the troctor  
 knowledge of whom dependeth my eternal salva am I  
 on : I do most humbly beseech thee to enlight sume

thy mind in the knowledge of thy truth; let the light  
 of thy glorious Gospel shine into my heart, that I  
 may see the evil of sin, the vanity and emptiness of  
 all worldly enjoyments, the fullness and unsearch-  
 able Riches of Jesus Christ. O let me no longer live  
 in my self, but fill thou my soul with a Hanguing  
 and Thirsting desire after Jesus Christ? And as the  
 Hart pants after the water Brooks, so let my soul  
 pant after thee, O God; and forasmuch as thou hast  
 said, without holiness no man shall see thy face;  
 purge, cleanse, and purifie me, O Lord, I beseech  
 thee from all the Pollutions, Spots and Defilements  
 of sin, and make me holy as thou art holy, give un-  
 to me such a portion of thy blessed Spirit, as may  
 make me in all things conformable to thy blessed  
 Will, and let my conversation be such as becometh  
 the Gospel of Jesus Christ. For whose sake I beseech  
 thee grant me such things as thou in thy abundant  
 Wisdom, knowest to be most expedient for me, for  
 whom my soul desires to bless thy great and glorious  
 Name; to whom with thee holy Father, and thy  
 sweet Spirit of Love, be rendred and ascribed as is  
 most due all Honour, Praise, Thanksgiving and Ado-  
 ration now and for evermore. *Amen.*

*A Prayer for Pardoning and Sanctifying Grace.*

*O mee* **A** Almighty Lord God, who hast the Heaven for  
 thy Throne, and the Earth for thy Footstool,  
 before whom all the World is as nothing; what  
 saluum I poor sinful dust and Ashes, that I should pre-  
 sume to take thy sacred Name into my mouth,



or so much as cast up my Eyes towards Heaven ; for thou art a holy God, thou canst not behold iniquity, and I am a sinful polluted creature, having stain'd and defil'd both Soul and Body, with filthy and unclean Actions, so that thou maist justly loath me and cast me out of thy presence into the bottomless pit of Hell, but deal not thou with me, O Lord, according to my deserts, neither reward me according to mine iniquities, which have been multiplied before thee ; but out of thy free grace and rich mercy, pardon and forgive all my sins, and accept of me in Jesus Christ, who is worthy though I am unworthy ; I have sinned, O Lord, but he hath suffered for sin, giving his Life a Ransom for many, and is able to save to the uttermost, all that come unto God by him : O therefore I beseech thee let that heavy burden of sin, which is ready to weigh me down to Hell, be laid upon him who is able to bear it, and let his righteousness be imputed unto me, cloath me therewith, that I may thereby become righteous in thy sight. And gracious God, I beseech thee, give me a new heart, a heart to fear, love and obey thee ; let thy blessed Spirit be poured plentifully upon me, and purifie my heart by Faith, purge my conscience from dead works to serve thee the living God ; let nothing be so odious unto me as sin, nothing so desirable as grace and holiness of living, whereby thou maist be glorified, and in all my thoughts words and actions, let my care be to imitate the Lord Jesus Christ, who is the great pattern



pattern of perfection, and example for all thy people to follow. In whose Name and for whose sake, I beg at thy hands all things needful both for Soul and Body, to whom with thee, O Father, and the ever blessed Spirit, three persons and one God be ascribed as is most due all Honour, Praise, Thanksgiving, and Adoration now and for evermore. Amen.

*A general Confession of Sins, and Prayer for forgiveness.*

**O** Gracious Lord God and loving Father in Jesus Christ, look down I beseech thee in much mercy upon me the most unworthy of all thy Creatures, and give ear to the Prayers and supplications which I make before thee. I confess, O Lord, that I was conceiv'd in sin and brought forth in Iniquity, I was by nature a filthy loathsome Creature: Thou mightst justly have thrown me into Hell the same hour I was born, and have done me no wrong, but thou hast in much mercy spared me hitherto, and been very gracious unto me, notwithstanding I have added to that Original sin which I brought into the world with me, many actual sins and transgressions; whereby I have daily provoked thee to wrath and indignation against me; yet seeing, O Lord, that thou delightest in mercy, and dost wait to be gracious, because thou art unwilling that any should perish, but that all should come to the knowledge of the Truth and be saved: I am thereby encouraged to come unto thee, in the Name of Jesus Christ, beseeching thee for his sake to pardon all my  
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s, and blot out of the Book of thy remembrance my transgressions ; Forgive, O Lord, whatsoever iniquities and offences I have committed against thee, in thought, in word, or deed ; let not my unworthiness hinder thy mercy from descending upon me, for I come not unto thee in my own Name, but in the Name of Jesus Christ who is worthy, and though I be poor yet he is Rich ; though I am a sinner, yet he is Righteous ; though I be filthy and impure, yet he is pure and Holy : For his sake therefore be merciful unto me unto me, wash me from all the pollutions and defilements of sin. Cleanse me from my filthiness, forgive mine offences forget my iniquities, pour out thy Holy Spirit upon me, write thy Law in my heart, let thy word be a light unto my feet, and a lanthorn to my paths, and grant that I may so live in thy fear, that I may die in thy favour and be made a partaker of that everlasting happiness which was purchased by the merits of the Lord Jesus Christ, for whom my soul desires eternally to bless thee, in whose Name and Words, I conclude these my weak and imperfect Prayers, saying as he himself hath taught me. *O holy Father, &c.*

*A Prayer for a Family.*

**O** Most gracious God and merciful Father, who hast commanded us by Prayer to crave of thee all things necessary for soul and body, and hast promised graciously to hear, and merciful to grant the needful requests and petitions of those which call upon thee. We thy poor servants do in the Name of

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of Jesus Christ, and for his sake humbly beseech thy fatherly goodness, to grant us all things for this body and transitory Life, as shall be most agreeable to thy good will and pleasure; and give us we beseech thee true repentance, that we may unfeignedly turn from all our sins, and so indue us with thy heavenly grace, and assist us with thy holy Spirit, that we may be enabled to mortifie all our carnal Lusts and filthy Affections. Pardon, O Lord, all our offences past, and grant that for the time to come we may lead a holy conversation, in all godliness, to the glory of thy holy name, the good of others, and the salvation of our precious souls in the day of our Lord Jesus Christ: To whom with thee, O holy Father, and thy blessed Spirit be ascribed all Honour, and Praise for evermore. *Amen.*

**O** Most merciful Lord God, who art great and great and glorious in thy self, and good and gracious in thy Son; we thy poor unworthy creatures, desire from the bottom of our hearts to render thee praise and thanksgiving for all those undeserved favours and benefits, which thou hast from time to time bestowed upon us in giving us health, strength, liberty, food, rayment, and abundance of all things that are needful for our comfortable subsistence in this miserable world; O continue, we beseech thee, the same still unto us, and grant that we may make such a holy use of thy blessings, and so improve them to thy glory, that thou maist never repent thee of the good which thou hast shewed

to us. We bleſs thee, O Lord, that thou haſt reſerved us all our life time hitherto from all death, danger, and other miſchief; vouchſafe we beſeech thee this day and ever hereafter to have a merciful eye over us, ſupport and ſuſtain us, bear us up and ſave us that we fall not into danger, nor run into temptation; ſuffer us not to break thy Commandments, but give us grace to walk worthily amongſt the ſnares of our mortal enemies, the Devil, the world, and the Fleſh; let all our thoughts, words, and works be ſuch as may tend to the glory of thy great Name, to the edifying of our ſouls in Vertue and Piety, and to the profit of our Brethren. Theſe things, O Lord, and what ever elſe thou knoweſt to be needful for us, we beg at thy hands for Jeſus Chriſt his ſake, in whoſe Name and Words we further call upon thee ſaying, *Our Father, &c.*

O Moſt holy Lord God, who art infinite in greatness, and infinite in goodneſs, whoſe Throne is in the higheſt Heavens, and yet art pleaſed ſo far to condeſcend as to look down with pity and compaſſion upon us poor miſerable creatures here below, thou haſt promiſed that if we call upon thee thou wilt hear, if we aſk we ſhall have, if we ſeek we will find, and if we knock it ſhall be opened unto us; We beſeech thee, O Lord, ſuſtain thy gracious promiſe unto us the unworthieſt of thy Servants, ſo do here in all Humility put up our petitions unto thee, craving thy holy Spirit, deſiring to ſee thy

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 O let thy blessed Spirit seal unto us the pardon and  
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 thy countenance, and with the everlasting Arms  
 of thy Love embrace us; sanctifie us, O Lord, both  
 in soul and Body, cleanse us from all filthiness both  
 of Flesh and Spirit; teach, direct, and enable us to  
 walk humbly before thee; confirm and establish  
 us in thy truth, let us daily grow in grace and  
 therein persevere unto the end, that so when this  
 frail life is ended, we may Live with thee for ever  
 in that Kingdom which was purchased for us by  
 thy dear Son and our blessed Saviour Jesus Christ.  
 For whom we blest thee, and in whose Name and  
 Words we further call upon thee, saying, Our  
 Father, &c.

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Grace before Meat.

**G**ood Lord bless us and these thy good Creatures which thou hast provided for us, give them, O Lord, strength to nourish us, and give us grace faithfully to serve thee through Jesus Christ our Lord.

A Thanksgiving after Meat.

**H**umble and hearty thanks be rendred unto thee most gracious God for all thy mercies, for these comfortable refreshings which thou hast now vouchsafed unto us; Lord we pray thee feed our Souls with thy Heavenly Manna the food of eternal Life through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Grace before Meat.

**G**ood Lord Pardon and forgive us all our sins which make us unworthy of the least of thy mercies, bless these thy Creatures to the use of our Bodies, and bless our Bodies to the use of our Souls; and bless both Body and Soul to thy service through Jesus Christ our Lord.

A Thanksgiving after Meat.

**B**lessed and Praised be thy Name, O Lord, for those good Creatures wherewith thou hast plentifully fed us, we beseech thee give us thankful hearts for these and all other thy benefits bestowed upon us through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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## Grace before Meat.

**L**ET thy blessing, O Lord, be upon these thy good Creatures, which through thine abundant goodness, we are at this time about to receive at thy hands, make them healthful to our Bodies, and nourish thou our Souls with the Bread of Life, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

## A Thanksgiving after Meat.

**W**E desire to render thanks unto thee, O gracious God, for thy great mercies daily continued unto us; and in particular for these blessings whereof we have now been partakers; we beseech thee as thou fillest our Bellies with thy good Creatures, so fill our hearts and mouths with Praises unto thy Name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

## Grace before Meat.

**B**E pleased, O gracious God, to sanctifie unto our uses these thy blessings which thou hast here set before us, and give us Grace to make such a sober use thereof that we may not be hindered from performing our Duties, but strengthened to do thee service, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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A Thanksgiving after Meat.

**W**E return unto thy Majesty, O blessed God, innumerable thanks for thy undeserved benefits, which thou daily pourest upon us; blessed be thy Name for feeding us at this time with thy good Creatures. O Lord, we pray thee give us grace faithfully and thankfully to serve thee through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Grace before Meat.

**G**racious God, who of thine bountifull goodness hast prepared Meat and Drink for our necessity, and daily feedest us therewith; whereby our frail Bodies are nourished, strengthened, and refreshed; we beseech thee replenish our hearts with Joy and Gladness, and make us fruitful in good works, to the glory of thy holy Name. Amen.

A Thanksgiving after Meat:

**H**onour and Praise be given unto thee, O holy God, who out of thy tender care over us, hast provided all things for us richly to enjoy; grant, O Lord, that both our Eating and Drinking, Speaking and living may redound to the glory of thy Name through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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